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M. Bristow Venable-Waple Sr. Analyst, Program & Planning Philip Morris USA Inc. 615 Maury Street Richmond, VA 23224

Dear Ms. Venable-Waple:

Enclosed are signed Covance Project Agreement number 5 Amendment No. 2s. Please have an authorized representative sign the Agreements and return one original to my attention.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (608) 245-7042.

Sincerely,

Jennifer S. Gilles Contracts Analyst Financial Services-02

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Enclosures

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